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Enclosed are:

- (X) This application is a Continuation-in-Part of PCT Application Number PCT/BE00/00061 filed on June 6, 2000, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety. PCT/BE00/00061 claims priority to GB9913425.6, filed June 9, 1999, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.
- (X) 9 sheets of drawing.
- (X) Sequence Submission Statement.
- (X) Sequence Listing in 23 pages.
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